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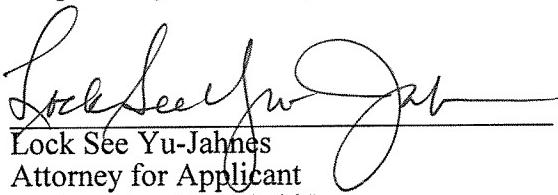
In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 form. The documents were cited in a Search Report and a Written Opinion in International Application No. PCT/US05/32032, which is in the same patent family as the present application. A copy of the Search Report and the Written Opinion are attached.

To the best of Applicant's knowledge, a first Office Action on the merits has not yet been mailed for the present application.

It is respectfully requested that the documents be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form be returned indicating that the documents have been considered.

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